GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

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ASSISTANCE FOR STRENGTHENING OF POULTRY FARMING
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are providing 100 percent central assistance for strengthening poultry farming in States;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the assistance provided to the State Governments particularly Andhra Pradesh, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b) : This Department is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme `Assistance to State Poultry Farms` in all the States/UTs of the country during the Xth Plan (2002-03 to 2006-07). The pattern of assistance is 100% for North Eastern States including Sikkim and on 80 : 20 Centre to State basis for other States. Under the scheme one time financial assistance is provided to selected State poultry farms to suitably strengthen them for strictly maintaining low-input technology breeding stock.

(c): No proposal has been received under the scheme from the Government of Andhra Pradesh. The assistance provided to the States under this scheme are as under:

State	Amount sanctioned (Rupees in lakhs)
Assam	170.00
Chattisgarh	68.00
Himachal Pradesh	59.87
Jharkhand	25.48
Mizoram	70.00
Uttaranchal	68.00
West Bengal	68.00